

## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE United States Patent and Trademark Office Addiese: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P O Box 1430 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 www.wepto.gov

		FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
10/594,935	09/28/2006	Vladislav Sklyarevich	4410 CIP II	7114
Floyd B. Carother			EXAM	IINER
CAROTHERS AND CAROTHERS			SZEWCZYK, CYNTHIA	
Suite 200 445 Fort Pitt Blvd	1.		ART UNIT	PAPER NUMBER
Pittsburgh, PA 15	219	1791		
			MAIL DATE 12/31/2009	DELIVERY MODE PAPER

Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

The time period for reply, if any, is set in the attached communication.

	Application No.	Applicant(s)					
Notice of Abandonment	10/594,935	SKLYAREVICH ET AL.					
Notice of Abandonment	Examiner	Art Unit					
	CYNTHIA SZEWCZYK	1791					
The MAILING DATE of this communication app	ears on the cover sheet with the c	orrespondence ad	dress				
This application is abandoned in view of:							
Applicant's failure to timely file a proper reply to the Office     A reply was received on (with a Certificate of N period for reply (including a total extension of time of)	lailing or Transmission dated month(s)) which expired on						
(b) A proposed reply was received on, but it does	not constitute a proper reply under 37	7 CFR 1.113 (a) to t	the final rejection.				
(A proper reply under 37 CFR 1.113 to a final rejection application in condition for allowance; (2) a timely filed Continued Examination (RCE) in compliance with 37 C	Notice of Appeal (with appeal fee); of						
(c) A reply was received on but it does not constitute a proper reply, or a bona fide attempt at a proper reply, to the non-final rejection. See 37 CFR 1.85(a) and 1.111. (See explanation in box 7 below).							
(d) No reply has been received.							
<ol> <li>Applicant's failure to timely pay the required issue fee and from the mailing date of the Notice of Allowance (PTOL-8</li> </ol>		the statutory period	of three months				
<ul> <li>(a) The issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, was        ), which is after the expiration of the statutory per         Allowance (PTOL-85).</li> </ul>							
(b) The submitted fee of \$ is insufficient. A balance	of \$ is due.						
The issue fee required by 37 CFR 1.18 is \$ 1	he publication fee, if required by 37	CFR 1.18(d), is \$	_				
(c) The issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, has no	t been received.						
<ol> <li>Applicant's failure to timely file corrected drawings as requ Allowability (PTO-37).</li> </ol>	ired by, and within the three-month p	period set in, the No	tice of				
(a) Proposed corrected drawings were received on (with a Certificate of Mailing or Transmission dated), which is after the expiration of the period for reply.							
(b) No corrected drawings have been received.							
<ol> <li>The letter of express abandonment which is signed by the the applicants.</li> </ol>	attorney or agent of record, the assi	ignee of the entire i	nterest, or all of				
The letter of express abandonment which is signed by an attorney or agent (acting in a representative capacity under 37 CFR 1.34(a)) upon the filing of a continuing application.							
☐ The decision by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interference rendered on and because the period for seeking court review of the decision has expired and there are no allowed claims.							
7. The reason(s) below:							

Petitions to revive under 37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b), or requests to withdraw the holding of abandonment under 37 CFR 1.181, should be promptly filed to minimize any negative effects on patent term.

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
PTOL-1432 (Rev. 04-01)

/Steven P. Griffin/

Supervisory Patent Examiner, Art Unit 1791